

MEMORANDUM FOR: Associate Deputy Director for Intelligence  
THROUGH : Chief, Administrative Staff, OER  
SUBJECT : Request for Permission to Publish an  
Unclassified Article on the Chinese Economy

1. I request permission to submit an article, "China: Grain Output Growth and Productivity, 1957-72", (see attachment) to the editors of the [redacted] for possible publication in that journal. The article does not contain classified information nor information available to me solely because of my affiliation with the Agency.

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2. As is the case with other Agency employees who have published material in the [redacted] expect to be identified simply as a "Economist in the CIA".

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Resources Branch  
China Division

Attachment  
a/s

CONCURRENCES:

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Director of Economic Research

30 JAN 1974  
Date

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Request for Clearance to Submit Article for Outside Publication

ENDORSEMENT:

I have reviewed the attached paper, entitled "China:

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[redacted] prepared  
by [redacted] In my opinion, it does not  
contain classified information available only from  
classified sources, information available to the author  
solely because of his employment with CIA, and if the  
author's CIA affiliation were known, it would not reflect  
unfavorably upon CIA. It does not reveal in any direct  
or indirect manner programs, sources, or methodologies  
peculiar to intelligence production or operations.

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